

It Was The Governor.

Any one who has seen the Capital Hotel knows the conspicuous part the Capital Hotel plays in the political life of the State's capital. Gov. Beckham is not infrequently to be seen in the lobby, and he sometimes sits behind the counter. His being there has led to some rather amusing incidents, one of which he tells himself.

A drummer approached the desk, and in a rather surly tone, demanded that his grip be placed on the counter. The Governor smiled quietly and proceeded to comply with the demand.

The drummer took out a collar and a pair of cuffs, closed the grip and shouted it at the Chief Executive with: "Put it back, and mind you handle it carefully."

"Yes, sir," said the Governor, and he smiled quietly again.

Some one who had witnessed the incident approached the drummer.

"Do you know who that is you were ordering around there?" was asked.

"No."

"Well, that's Gov. Beckham."

"Gee!" was the reply, as the knight of the grip proceeded to make double time out of the lobby.—Evening Times.

In Memoriam.

Little Fannie Bet Butler died on Feb. 21, 1902. She was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Butler, who live near Columbia. She was ten years and nineteen days old at her death. She had been complaining several months prior to her final sickness, but no one suspected anything serious would result as she was always so pleasant and cheerful. But she began to grow worse and after all was done for her that could be by physician and mother, father and sisters, she succumbed to the death angel and the innocent soul that only occupied the tenement house of clay for a few brief years, took its flight to the glory land where there will be no more pains and heart aches, to be forever with the Lord. She leaves a heart-broken father and mother and sisters to miss her presence in the home and many sympathizing friends to mourn their loss. She was the idol of the family, always cheerful and happy and brought so much sunshine into the home, but now little Fannie Bet is no more. She has gone where the angels stay, where pain and death are felt no more. Where no night is, but one eternal day. It is sad indeed to give her up. But the all-wise God knows best. So drink now the bitter cup. And hope some day with her to rest.

Advertised By the Sheriff.

Hodgenville, Ky., Feb. 23.—The old Lincoln homestead, the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln, has been advertised by the Sheriff of this county to be sold at public auction to the highest bidder to satisfy a tax debt due the State against the property, amounting to a small sum. The homestead belongs to eastern capitalists, who purchased it years ago for the purpose of converting it into a public park.

The farm has several times received consideration at the hands of Congress looking to the establishment of a home for old soldiers and widows of veterans of the civil war, and quite recently a project was started for the building of a home for old and disabled ex-slaves.

The extent of damage done fruit in Kentucky by the severe winter will not be known until the bloom is on the trees. Mr. Samuel P. Gresham, assistant forecast official of the Lexington Weather Bureau, is authority for this statement. "The freezes of December," said Mr. Gresham to a Courier-Journal reporter, "was killing, but just how much so cannot be determined. The recent sleet, however, did more damage, I believe, in breaking down limbs than the freeze. Not only were fruit trees injured by the sleet, but shade trees and forest trees, and the damage extended over practically all of Kentucky. There were a few northern counties that escaped. Yesterday I sent inquiry blanks to farmers in every county in the State asking for reports on the estimated damage done by sleet to trees of all kinds. The replies will form the basis of my report."

FOR RENT.—Our store-house in Columbia, Ky., is for rent. Address, WILUS BROS. Cave City, Ky.

Mr. W. B. Myers, the present owner of the Columbia Mill Company, will buy all kinds of lumber, including gum and sycamore, wheat and corn. Will pay the highest cash price.

Young fruit trees should be mulched with rotten straw before hot weather comes. If you have trees planted spend a day or two hauling straw and you will not regret it.

PONTIAC.

J. H. Smith lately went to Lexington to see his daughter, who is very sick at that place.

S. B. Rexroat sold one horse for \$50.00 and bought one mule for \$55.00, which he had a match for, and he says that ends his trading.

M. E. Tarter and Ruel Ragie were in Columbia several days ago.

J. H. Smith has one Berkshire hog that gained forty-five pounds in fifteen days on feed of twenty ears of corn per day.

G. M. Brown and Miss Huldah Wilkerson were united in the holy bond of matrimony, February 23, 1902, Rev. Thomas Grimes officiating. We wish them a long and prosperous life.

J. H. Smith & Co., recently bought a lot of shelled corn of A. S. Dunbar & Co., for 60 cts. per bushel.

Last Monday was chicken day at J. H. Smith & Co's. store. The firm paid 74 cts., and they got a large number.

J. K. Butcher, Cy Wade and others, of Decatur, are talking of buying a boiler, engine, shingle rig and wheat thrasher.

J. H. Smith has four head of cattle for sale. Call and get prices.

M. E. Tarter bought one cow for J. H. Smith, of William Wilson, for \$16.00.

J. M. Smith (our photographer) has bought a phone and put in his home, connecting with Yucumite and Dunnaville telephone lines.

J. H. Smith talks of buying a boiler and engine, saw-rig and shingle outfit, also a set of burs suitable for grinding corn.

During the year 1900 J. H. Smith sold 10750 dozen eggs to Geo. P. Taylor, of Somerset and Burnside, next year (1901) he did not sell so many, but had a good trade with Mr. Taylor, this year he expects to sell Mr. Taylor ten or twelve thousand dozen.

J. H. Smith sold one wheat drill to W. A. Wilson & Son at a fair price.

J. H. Smith bought one yearling of M. F. Wilkerson for \$12.50 also sold two fat hogs to J. B. Luttrell Sr., for \$32.58.

The work on the telephone line from Jabez to Russell & Co's. store has begun.

Welby Gosser and Mrs. Martha Leach were united in marriage February 24.

M. E. Tarter bought one cow of C. A. Hammonds, near Ono, for \$18.00.

KELTNER.

Marshal Moss and Emit Parsons left for Illinois a few days ago.

Mr. Elzie Mitchell, of Glasgow, was here a few days ago wanting poplar timber.

N. G. Dohoney sold a number of sheep to N. B. Stephens at \$2.50 each.

Rev. Hulse preached an excellent sermon to a large crowd Sunday.

Mr. Robt. O. Keltner and wife, of Oklahoma, have arrived at this place and will reside in Kentucky. We welcome them.

N. G. Dohoney, T. B. Clark and W. P. Price, are collecting a lot of logs to be sawed.

Misses Lizzie Boston and Bettie Stitts, of Metcalfe, were the guests of Miss Lela Clark last Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Price, who was dangerously ill with fever at Rocky Hill, returned home the 25th.

Mrs. Allen Rose, of Liletown, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Clark last week and in a few hours after her arrival the death came and a congestion claimed for its victim her 1-year-old baby. We extend sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Rev. Geo. Groves has returned from White Oak and reports a good revival.

Revs. Harwood and Mills are holding a meeting at East Fork.

E. E. Finn will remove his saw mill to N. G. Dohoney & Co's. bunch of logs.

Farmers are making preparations for a large crop.

DECATUR.

The chilling blasts of winter have ceased to blow and the sun shines.

J. I. Cravens and some of our active farmers have begun farming.

G. W. Brown has just completed a new barn.

J. K. Butcher has gone to Nashville to buy a steam and grist mill; also a shingle rig for Wade & Butcher. The mill will be set at this place. We anticipate an increase in the business of our town.

Quite a number from here attended preaching at Bethany Sunday.

G. B. Smith, of Pontiac, passed through here last week enroute for Lexington. He received a telegram that his daughter who is attending college had pneumonia.

Betty, the wife of Cy Wade, on the 24th, a boy.

Sam Tarter has about completed his mill near this place.

Leroy Williams, of Campbellsville, the hat drummer was here recently.

W. B. Wade, of Lincoln county, was here a few days ago buying calves.

Laura, the little daughter of G. W. Brown has been very sick. B. D. Luttrell is very poorly.

Cy Wade sold Sampson Hopper a cow for \$25.50.

To prevent La Grippe take a dose or two of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve daily.

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A few parties have promised us wood. It is now needed and we ask you to bring it at once. Don't wait for further notice. If you agreed to bring wood don't wait until the winter is past.

Our correspondents do not seem to understand that letters for this paper must be mailed on Friday to insure prompt insertion.

Lost.—While in Columbia Monday a leather pocketbook containing \$35.00; also some valuable papers. Finder will be rewarded. J. M. Yarberr, Sparksville, Ky.

Strayed.—A large red cow of wild disposition. Jo Tucker, Knifley, Ky.

FOR SALE.—Five hundred bushels of Burpee oats. W. B. HURT, Columbia, Ky.

Prof. Tobias Huffaker will open a Normal at Russell Springs, April 7th. Tuition for term of five weeks \$3.

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GENTRY'S MILL.

Mr. Gabehart, of Liberty, was in this vicinity the first of the week.

Several cases of measles at this place.

Squire S. P. Sullivan made a business trip to Danville a few days ago.

Miss Della Sullivan, Stapp's Spring, visited at C. C. Gentry's last week.

Mrs. Madeline Bradley, of Esto, is visiting her father at this place.

Nathan Bryant was in Lincoln county last week.

Luttrell Bailey and brother left for Illinois Thursday, their future home.

Miss Emma Conover and sister visited at Stapp's Spring Sunday.

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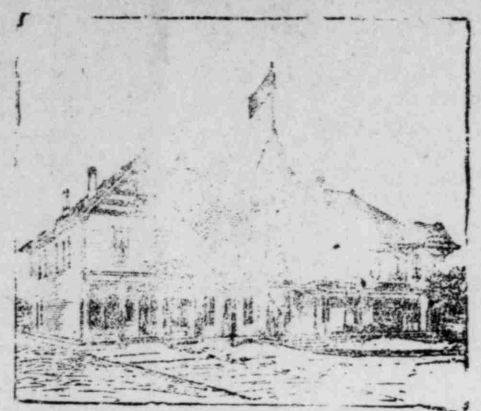
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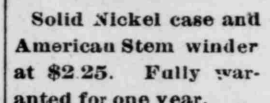
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